

Proposed Bill No. 5220

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LCO No. 484

Referred to Committee on General Law

Introduced by: REP. MILLER, 122nd Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING ELECTRONIC DATA ENCRYPTION OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 To amend the general statutes to require a business entity that
- 2 contracts for the purpose of outsourcing jobs or tasks to utilize
- 3 encryption to ensure the confidentiality of social security numbers
- 4 such business maintains in electronic data files and to subject a
- 5 noncomplying business to a fine of five thousand dollars.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect individuals' social security numbers from negligent or wilful disclosure.